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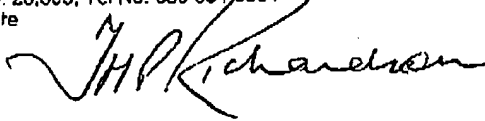
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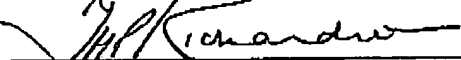
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**REPLY**

Sir,

20 This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2006.,  
Reexamination and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the Amendments  
and Remarks below.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

25 There are no amendments to the claims.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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